

# HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 1060

By Ramsey

A RESOLUTION to recognize John William “Bill” Roberson IV on becoming an Eagle Scout.

WHEREAS, at a time when this nation's youth face difficult challenges, the Boy Scouts of America is one of our finest assets, providing young men with an educational program that contributes significantly to their character development, citizenship training, and improved mental and physical fitness; and

WHEREAS, the highest rank a Boy Scout can attain is that of Eagle Scout, and John William “Bill” Roberson IV, after considerable effort and diligent preparation, has joined the prestigious Eagle Court of Honor; and

WHEREAS, Bill Roberson is a senior at Maryville High School, where he has demonstrated considerable ability as a leader among his peers; and

WHEREAS, his notable record of achievement as a member of Boy Scout Troop 88 of New Providence Presbyterian Church in Maryville includes twenty-four Merit Badges and distinguished service to his community in several capacities; and

WHEREAS, elected to the Order of the Arrow, the Boy Scout Honor Society for service, Bill Roberson has rendered sterling service as Assistant Senior Patrol Leader, Senior Patrol Leader, and Assistant Scoutmaster of his troop; and

WHEREAS, Bill's Eagle project greatly contributed to the betterment of his community and reflected the true spirit of Volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, for his Eagle project, Mr. Roberson led sixteen volunteers in landscaping John Sevier Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, his extraordinary accomplishment is a tremendous source of pride for his family, his Scoutmaster, Charles Wortman, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Bill's display of intellectual aptitude and character surely bodes well for his future success at Pellissippi State Community College; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we should pause to recognize Bill Roberson as one of the most outstanding young people in our state; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate John William "Bill" Roberson IV on becoming an Eagle Scout, and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final resolving clause omitted from such copy.